

Supplementary Information for

Pericentromeric noncoding RNA changes DNA binding of CTCF and inflammatory gene expression in senescence and cancer

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Supplementary Information Methods

Cell Culture

TIG-3 cells (1-3) and IMR-90 cells were obtained from the Japanese Cancer Research Resources Bank and American Type Culture Collection, respectively. TIG-3 cells, IMR-90 cells and IMR-90/ER:H-Ras^{V12} cells (1) were cultured in Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's (DME) medium (Nacalai Tesque) supplemented with 10% fetal bovine serum (FBS) and penicillin/streptomycin (Sigma-Aldrich) at physiological oxygen conditions $(92\% N_2, 5\%)$ CO2, and 3% O2) at 37°C. RPE-1/hTERT cells (4) and HEK-293T cells (1) were cultured in DME medium (Nacalai Tesque) supplemented with 10% FBS and penicillin/streptomycin (Sigma-Aldrich) in a 5% $CO₂$ incubator at 37°C. SVts8 cells (5) were cultured in DME medium (Nacalai Tesque) supplemented with 10% FBS and penicillin/streptomycin (Sigma-Aldrich) in a 5% $CO₂$ incubator at 34 $°C$. Mouse embryonic fibroblasts (MEFs) were generated from CD-1 mice as previously described (6) and then cultured in DME medium (Nacalai Tesque) supplemented with 10% FBS and penicillin/streptomycin (Sigma-Aldrich) at physiological oxygen conditions $(92\% N_2, 5\%$ CO2, and 3% O2) at 37°C. All cell lines used were negative for mycoplasma.

To induce doxorubicin (DXR)-induced senescence, TIG-3 and RPE-1/hTERT cells were cultured in medium containing DXR at concentrations of 250 and 150 ng/mL, respectively. One day before DXR-treatment, TIG-3 and RPE-1/hTERT cells were plated at a density of 5,000 and 3,637 cells•cm−2, respectively. These cells were not passaged after DXR treatment. To cause X-ray (XRA)-induced senescence, IMR-90, SVts8, and RPE-1/hTERT cells were exposed to 10-, 12-, and 40-gray (Gy) irradiation, respectively, with a CP-160 X-ray machine (Faxitron X-ray Corporation). After XRA irradiation, IMR-90, SVts8, and RPE-1/hTERT cells were plated at a density of 2,500, 9,090 and 4,000 cells•cm−2, respectively. These cells were not passaged for 10 days after XRA irradiation. The induction of oncogene-induced senescence in IMR-90/ER:H-Ras^{V12} cells were performed as previously described (1).

Plasmid Construction

Human centromeric satellite α (hSAT α) and pericentromeric satellite II (hSATII) RNAs were cloned from the cDNA derived from DXR-treated RPE-1/hTERT cells and inserted into a pGEM-T Easy Vector (Promega). These cDNAs were tandemly connected in triplet and then subcloned into either a pcDNA3 vector (Invitrogen) or MaRX-puro retrovirus vector (7). Mouse centromeric minor satellite (MinSAT) and pericentromeric major satellite (MajSAT) RNAs were cloned from cDNAs derived from MEFs and inserted into a pGEM-T Easy Vector (Promega). These cDNAs were subsequently subcloned into a pcDNA3 vector (Invitrogen) or MaRX-puro retrovirus vector (7).

The 3xFLAG-tagged CTCF cDNA was cloned into a pcDNA3 vector (Invitrogen), MaRX-puro retrovirus vector (7), or pLenti CMV GFP Puro (658-5) (#17448, Addgene) using an In-Fusion HD Cloning Kit (Clontech) according to the manufacturer's instructions. For the construction to delete all 11 zinc finger (ZF) domains (CTCFΔZF1- 11), the following primers were used: 5ʹ-GAAAGGTGTA AAGAAGACAT TCGGCCCAGA TGGCGTAGAG GGGGAAAATG GAGGAG-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CTCCTCCATT TTCCCCCTCT ACGCCATCTG GGCCGAATGT CTTCTTTACA CCTTTC-3ʹ (Reverse). For the construction of CTCFΔZF1 and CTCFΔZF10, indicating

the deletion of ZF domains 1 and 10, respectively, the primers were used as previously reported (8). For the construction of CTCFΔZF3-6, which spans the deletion of ZF domains 3–6, the following primers were used: 5ʹ-CAGGTACTCG TCCTACAGAA AATGTGGCC-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-GGCCACATTT TCTGTAGGAC GAGTACCTG-3ʹ (Reverse).

All cDNAs were sequenced on a Genetic Analyzer 3130 (Applied Biosystems) using a BigDye Terminator v3.1 Cycle Sequencing Kit (Applied Biosystems).

RNA Interference (RNAi) and Overexpression

The knockdown of CTCF and hSATII RNA were performed by the transfection of small interfering RNAs (siRNAs) using Lipofectamine RNAiMAX Transfection Reagent (Thermo Fisher Scientific), according to the manufacturer's instructions. siRNAs targeting CTCF (Thermo Fisher Scientific, #HSS116455 and #HSS116456) and Negative Control (Duplex High GC Duplex) siRNA (Thermo Fisher Scientific, #46-2000) were used at a concentration of 50 nM for 2 days. Two siRNAs targeting hSATII RNA (#1: 5'- UUUCCAUUCC AUUCCAUUC-3' and #2: 5'-AAUCAUCGAA UGGUCUCGA-3') and one for Negative Control (5'-AUGAACGUGA AUUGCUCAA-3') were used at the concentration of 20 nM for 2 days. As shown in Fig. **1***H*, siRNA #2 targeting hSATII RNA was treated to proliferating or XRA-induced senescent SVts8 cells. Knockdown efficiency was evaluated using real-time quantitative polymerase chain reaction (RT-qPCR).

Retroviral gene transfer into SVts8 cells (*SI Appendix,* Fig. S5) was conducted by transient transfection of LinXE ecotropic packaging cells with a MaRX-puro vector and the vector containing hSATII DNA, as previously described (7). Infected cell populations were selected for 3 days in the presence of 1 μg/mL puromycin. Retroviral gene transfer into early-passage primary MEF cells (P1–P3, *SI Appendix,* Fig. S6) was conducted by transient transfection of LinXE ecotropic packaging cells with a MaRX-puro vector and the vector containing MajSAT DNA, as previously described (6, 7). Infected cell populations were selected for 5 days in the presence of 1 μg/mL puromycin.

SVts8 (**Fig. 2***E*) or HEK-293T (**Fig. 2***C* and *D*) cells were transfected with a vector designed to express hSATII RNA and/or CTCF using X-tremeGENE HP DNA Transfection Reagent (Roche), according to the manufacturer's instructions. After 24 hours of transfection, the cells were scraped and analyzed. We monitored the transfection efficiency of CTCF using EGFP expression (the same backbone plasmid with CTCF) and confirmed almost 100% efficiency in each experiment. Although CTCF overexpression generally causes cell cycle arrest, in SVts8 cells in which pRb and p53 are inactivated by large T antigen, we could avoid cell cycle arrest and thereby examined the effect of CTCF overexpression within 24 h. SVts8 cells (**Fig. 1***E* and *F* and **3**; *SI Appendix*, Fig. S2*A*–*C*) were transfected with a vector designed to express hSATII RNA using X-tremeGENE HP DNA Transfection Reagent (Roche) a total of four times every other day, according to the manufacturer's instructions. Cells were scraped and analyzed 24 hours after the final transfection.

Lentiviruses encoding 3xFLAG-tagged CTCF or CTCFΔZF were generated by using Lentiviral Packaging Mix (Sigma-Aldrich, #SHP001) according to the manufacturer's instructions.

Reverse Transcription PCR (RT-PCR)

Total RNA was extracted with TRIzol Reagent (Thermo Fisher Scientific). After removing genomic DNA contamination using a TURBO DNA-*free* Kit (Applied Biosystems), the extracted RNA underwent reverse transcription using a PrimeScript RT Master Mix (TaKaRa). RT-PCR was performed on a Veriti Thermal Cycler (Applied Biosystems) using KOD -Plus- Neo DNA polymerase (Toyobo). The primers used for RT-PCR are as follows: human GAPDH: 5ʹ-GCCACATCGC TCAGACAC-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CATCACGCCA CAGTTTCC-3ʹ (Reverse); mouse GAPDH: 5ʹ-CAACTACATG GTCTACATGT TC-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CGCCAGTAGA CTCCACGAC-3ʹ (Reverse); EXOtic-hSATα: 5ʹ-GTTTAAACTT AAGCTCAACG AAGGCCACAA-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CTATTTTGCA TCTAGAAGGT CAATGGCAGA-3ʹ (Reverse); EXOtic-hSATII: 5ʹ-GCAGTACATC AATGGGCGTGG-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CGCCCATTCG ATGATTGGAT CC-3ʹ (Reverse); EXOtic Control (Backbone): 5ʹ-GACTTTAGAG GGTACCGTGA TCCG-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-GCTGGCAACT AGAAGGCACA G-3ʹ (Reverse). The amplification products were separated using 1%–3% agarose gel electrophoresis and detected by ethidium bromide staining.

RT-qPCR

Total RNA was extracted with TRIzol Reagent (Thermo Fisher Scientific). After removing genomic DNA contamination using a TURBO DNA-*free* Kit (Applied Biosystems), the extracted RNA underwent reverse transcription using a PrimeScript RT Master Mix (TaKaRa). RT-qPCR was performed on a StepOne Plus PCR system (Thermo Fisher Scientific) using SYBR *Premix Ex Taq* II (Tli RNaseH Plus, TaKaRa, #RR820A). The primers used for RT-qPCR are as follows: hSATII: 5ʹ-AATCATCGAA TGGTCTCGAT-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-ATAATTCCAT TCGATTCCAC-3ʹ (Reverse); hSATα: 5ʹ-AAGGTCAATG GCAGAAAAGAA-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CAACGAAGGC CACAAGATGTC-3' (Reverse); human ACTB: 5'-AGAGCTACGA GCTGCCTGAC-3' (Forward) and 5'-AGCACTGTGT TGGCGTACAG-3' (Reverse); MajSAT: 5ʹ-ATAATTCCAT TCGATTCCAC-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CTTGCCATAT TCCACGTCCT-3ʹ (Reverse); MinSAT: 5ʹ-TTGGAAACGG GATTTGTAGA-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CGGTTTCCAA CATATGTGTTTT-3ʹ (Reverse); murine ACTB: 5'-CGCCACCAGT TCGCCATGGA-3' (Forward) and 5'-TACAGCCCGG GGAGCATCGT-3' (Reverse). LMNB1 (9) and CTCF (10) were detected as previously described. CDKN2A, IL6, CXCL8, IL1A, IL1B, CXCL10, IFNA1 and IFNB1 were detected as previously described (2). The quantity of all samples was obtained using the standard curve method according to the manufacturer's protocol and was normalized to the housekeeping gene *ACTB.*

Northern Blot

Total RNA was extracted from proliferating or senescent TIG-3 and IMR-90/ER:H-Ras^{V12} cells by TRIzol Reagent (Invitrogen) according to manufacturer's protocols. After genomic DNA digestion using a TURBO DNA-*free* Kit (Applied Biosystems), total RNA samples (3–9 μg) were denatured in a $0.5 \times \text{MOPS}$ (Nacalai Tesque), 2.2 M formaldehyde (Wako), and 50% formamide (Sigma-Aldrich) solution at 65°C for 15 minutes and then electrophoresed on 1% agarose gels containing $1 \times \text{MOPS}$ and 2.2 M formaldehyde solution (Wako). After transfer onto a Hybond-N+ membrane (Amersham/GE Healthcare) and followed by cross-linking with ultraviolet light, the membrane was prehybridized in Church buffer (11). A ^{32}P -labled DNA probe targeting hSATII RNA was generated from

the pcDNA3-hSATII RNA plasmid (described in the "Plasmid Construction" section) with the primer 5ʹ-TATAATTCCA TTCGATTCC-3ʹ and the Megaprime DNA Labeling System (Amersham/GE Healthcare) according to manufacturer's protocols. The membrane was hybridized overnight with the purified probe using Sephadex G-50 DNA Grade NICK Columns (GE Healthcare) in Church buffer at 55°C. The membrane was then washed twice with $1\times$ SSC buffer containing 0.1% SDS at 55°C for 5 minutes, followed by 0.2 \times SSC buffer containing 0.1% SDS at 55 \degree C for 15 minutes. The hybridized ^{32}P signal was visualized on high-performance chemiluminescence film (Amersham/GE Healthcare).

RNA Pull-down Assay

RNA pull-down assays were performed using a RiboTrap Kit (MBL, #RN1011/RN1012) according to the manufacturer's instructions. Briefly, 5-bromo-UTP was randomly incorporated into hSATα, hSATII, MinSAT, and MajSAT RNAs upon transcription using vectors containing the full-length RNAs as templates (*in vitro* transcription). Next an anti-BrdU antibody conjugated with Dynabeads Protein G (Thermo Fisher Scientific, #10004D) were bound to the *in vitro*-synthesized RNA before incubating at 4°C for overnight with SVts8 cell lysates for hSATα and hSATII RNA or MEF lysates for MinSAT and MajSAT RNA. Finally, the samples were washed, eluted, and subjected to western blot or mass spectrometric analysis.

Western Blotting

Cell pellets were lysed in lysis buffer (0.1 M Tris-HCl pH 7.5, 10% glycerol, and 1% SDS), boiled for 5 minutes, and then centrifuged for 10 minutes at 15,000 rpm. All protein concentrations were determined by BCA Protein Assay Reagent (Pierce). Each cell lysate was electrophoresed by SDS-PAGE and transferred onto PVDF membranes (Millipore). After blocking with 5% skim milk (Megumilk) or 5% bovine serum albumin (Sigma-Aldrich) in Tris-buffered saline with 0.1% Tween 20 (TBST), the membrane was treated with primary antibodies to p16 (IBL, #11104, 1:250 dilution), lamin-B1 (Abcam, #ab16048, 1:1,000 dilution), GAPDH (Proteintech, #60004-1-lg, 1:10,000 dilution), vinculin (Sigma-Aldrich, #V9131, 1:1,000), CTCF (Cell Signaling Technology, #3418, 1:1,000 dilution), DDDK-tag (MBL, #M185-3L, 1:5,000), and ras (Oncogene, #OP41, 1:1,000 dilution) overnight at 4°C in blocking buffer. Membranes were then washed three times in TBST and incubated with an enhanced chemiluminescence (ECL) anti-mouse IgG, horseradish peroxidase-linked whole antibody (GE Healthcare, NA931V) or ECL antirabbit IgG, horseradish peroxidase-linked whole antibody (GE Healthcare, NA934V) for 1 hour at room temperature. After washing the membrane three times in TBST, the signal was resolved with SuperSignal West Femto Maximum Sensitivity Substrate (Thermo Fisher Scientific) and imaged on a FUSION imaging system (Vilber-Lourmat).

Mass Spectrometric Analysis

The hSATII RNA-binding proteins were purified using a RiboTrap Kit (MBL) as described in the "RNA Pull-down Assay" section. The eluate was then concentrated approximately 10-fold by Amicon Ultra 0.5 mL Centrifugal Filters (30K, Merck Millipore). Samples were reduced in $1 \times$ Laemmli sample buffer with 10 mM TCEP at 100° C for 10 minutes, alkylated with 50 mM iodoacetamide at ambient temperature for 45 minutes, and subjected to SDS-PAGE. Electrophoresis was stopped at a migration distance of 2 mm from the top

edge of the separation gel. After Coomassie Brilliant Blue staining, protein bands were excised, destained, and finely cut prior to in-gel digestion with Trypsin/Lys-C Mix (Promega) at 37°C for 12 hours. The resulting peptides were extracted from gel fragments and analyzed with an Orbitrap Fusion Lumos Mass Spectrometer (Thermo Scientific) combined with an UltiMate 3000 RSLC nano-flow HPLC (Thermo Scientific). Tandem mass spectrometry spectra were searched against a *Homo sapiens* protein sequence database in SwissProt using Proteome Discoverer 2.2 (Thermo Scientific), in which peptide identification filters were set at "false discovery rate (FDR) < 1%." Gene ontology analysis was performed by Metascape (12).

Chromatin Immunoprecipitation (ChIP) Followed by ChIP-Sequencing (ChIP-seq)

ChIP was essentially performed as described (2) with minor modifications. Briefly, cells at 70%–80% confluency were cross-linked with 1% formaldehyde for 10 minutes at room temperature and quenched with 125 mM glycine for 5 minutes at room temperature. The cross-linked cells were scraped into a microcentrifuge tube and washed twice with ice-cold phosphate-buffered saline (PBS). The washed cells were lysed in ChIP lysis buffer (1% SDS, 50 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0, 10 mM EDTA, and $1 \times$ protease inhibitor cocktail) and then sonicated using a Bioruptor (Cosmo Bio Corporation) set to pulse on high (30 seconds of sonication, followed by 30 seconds of rest) at 4°C for 15 minutes. Lysates were cleared by centrifugation at maximum speed for 10 minutes at 4°C, and the chromatin-containing supernatants were transferred into to new centrifuge tube. After sixfold dilution with icecold ChIP dilution buffer (0.01% SDS, 1.1% Triton X-100, 1.2 mM EDTA, 16.7 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0, 150 mM NaCl, and $1\times$ protease inhibitor cocktail), the CTCF (Cell Signaling Technology, #3418) or Rabbit (DA1E) mAb IgG XP Isotype Control (Cell Signaling Technology, #3900) antibody was added, followed by overnight rotation at 4°C. The next day, samples were incubated with Dynabeads Protein G (Thermo Fisher Scientific, #10004D) at 4^oC for 30 minutes before a wash process, according to the manufacturer's instruction. Dynabeads Protein G were collected on a magnet and washed three times with wash buffer I (0.1% SDS, 1% Triton X-100, 2 mM EDTA, 20 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0, and 150 mM NaCl), wash buffer II (0.1% SDS, 1% Triton X-100, 2 mM EDTA, 20 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0, and 500 mM NaCl), and wash buffer III (0.25% LiCl, 1% NP-40, 1% Na-DOC, 1 mM EDTA, and 10 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0), followed by two washes with ice-cold TE (10 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0 and 1 mM EDTA) and elution by ChIP elution buffer (1% SDS and 0.1 M Na₂CO₃). The eluted DNA was incubated overnight at 65 \degree C for to reverse cross-links, followed by incubation in the presence of Proteinase K Solution (Wako) at 50°C for 2 hours. The samples were subsequently cleaned by phenol–chloroform extraction, precipitated with ethanol, and resuspended in either TE buffer for ChIP-qPCR or low TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0, and 0.1 mM EDTA) for ChIP-seq. ChIP-qPCR analyses were performed on a StepOne Plus PCR system (Thermo Fisher Scientific) using SYBR *Premix Ex Taq* II (Tli RNaseH Plus, TaKaRa, #RR820A). The primers used for qPCR are as follows: human imprinting control region (ICR): 5ʹ-CCCATCTTGC TGACCTCAC-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-AGACCTGGGA CGTTTCTGTG-3ʹ (Reverse) (13); hSAT*α*: 5ʹ-AAGGTCAATG GCAGAAAAGA A-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CAACGAAGGC CACAAGATGT C-3ʹ (Reverse); mouse ICR: 5ʹ-GTCACTCAGG CATAGCATTC-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-GTCTGCCGAG CAATATGTAG-3ʹ (Reverse) (14); MinSAT: 5ʹ-

TTGGAAACGG GATTTGTAGA-3ʹ (Forward) and 5ʹ-CGGTTTCCAA CATATGTGTT TT-3ʹ (Reverse).

Libraries for ChIP-seq were prepared with SMARTer ThruPLEX DNA-Seq Kit (Takara Bio USA) according to the manufacturer's protocol. The amplicon libraries for sequencing were quantified using a LabChip GX Touch (PerkinElmer) and sequenced using 2×75 -bp MiSeq Reagent Kits v3 (Illumina) on an Illumina MiSeq, according to the manufacturer's recommendations.

Chromosome Conformation Capture (3C)-qPCR

3C-qPCR was performed as previously described (15). In brief, to make a single-cell suspension hSATII RNA-overexpressed SVts8 cells were filtered through a 40-μm cell strainer and cross-linked with 1% formaldehyde for 10 minutes. After quenching with 125 mM glycine, the cross-linked cells were resuspended in lysis buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0, 10 mM NaCl, 0.2% NP-40, and $1 \times$ protease inhibitor cocktail) and subjected to enzymatic digestion using *Bgl*II (700 units, New England Biolabs) at 37℃ for overnight, followed by ligation with T4 DNA ligase (400 units, New England Biolabs) at 16℃ for 4 hours in a large volume. Next, cross-link reversal was performed by incubating samples overnight at 65°C in the presence of Proteinase K Solution (480 μg, Wako). The digested and ligated chromatin samples were then cleaned by phenol–chloroform extraction and precipitated with ethanol. The precipitated samples were subsequently cleaned using a QIAquick PCR Purification Kit (Qiagen) and resuspended in nuclease-free water. 3CqPCR was performed using a StepOne Plus PCR system (Thermo Fisher Scientific) and SYBR *Premix Ex Taq* II (Tli RNaseH Plus, TaKaRa, #RR820A), and data were normalized to a GADPH control. The primers used for 3C-qPCR are as follows: 3C-Constant: 5'- CGGATAAGAG AAAGGAGGTG TTGG-3'; 3C-T1: 5'-AGGTGATGAA TCCTACCAGC AGTG-3'; 3C-T2, 5'-TGAGATTACA GGCATGAGCC AC-3'; 3C-T4: 5'-ATGTAGGGAA GTGATGGGAG AG-3'; 3C-T6: 5'-TACTGTTTCA AAGGCAGGCA CC-3'; 3C-T7: 5'-ACAACTGTCT TTCCCACCTA CC-3'; 3C-T15: 5'- GGGAGGAGAT TGACTACAAA GGAC-3'; 3C-T22: 5'-AGGTTGCAGT GAGCTGAGAT TG-3'; 3C-T26: 5'-AGACCCACTC ACAGAGATAA CC-3' and gGapdh-Fwd: 5'-GGGAGGTAGA GGGGTGATGT-3'; gGapdh-Rev: 5'-ATGGCATGGA CTGTGGTCTG-3'. The relative cross-linking frequency was calculated by setting the cross-linking frequency of a bacterial artificial chromosome-containing amplified locus at 100%.

Assay for Transposase-Accessible Chromatin (ATAC)-seq

ATAC-seq was performed as previously described (16). The amplicon libraries for sequencing were quantified using a LabChip GX Touch (PerkinElmer) and KAPA Library Quantification Kit (KAPA Biosystems, #KK4824) and sequenced using 2×75 -bp MiSeq Reagent Kits v3 (Illumina) on an Illumina MiSeq, according to the manufacturer's recommendations.

RNA Immunoprecipitation (RIP)

To evaluate the binding of CTCF and hSATII RNA, HEK-293T cells were transfected with vector constructs designed to express either CTCF (WT) or CTCFΔZF and hSATII RNA using X-tremeGENE HP DNA Transfection Reagent (Roche), according to the

manufacturer's instructions. After 24 hours, the cells were scraped and lysed, followed by RIP assay. XRA-induced senescent IMR-90 cells were infected by lentiviruses with 10 μg/mL polybrene on Day 8 after XRA irradiation. The infected cells were then scraped on Day 10 and lysed, followed by RIP assay. RIP assay was performed using a Magna RIP RNA-Binding Protein Immunoprecipitation Kit (Millipore, #17-700) according to the manufacturer's instructions. After removing genomic DNA contamination using a TURBO DNA-*free* Kit (Applied Biosystems), immunoprecipitated RNA underwent subjected to reverse transcription using a PrimeScript RT Master Mix (TaKaRa). Next, qPCR was performed to quantify the immunoprecipitated RNA using a StepOne Plus PCR system (Thermo Fisher Scientific) and SYBR *Premix Ex Taq* II (Tli RNaseH Plus, TaKaRa, #RR820A). The primers used for qPCR are listed in the "RT-qPCR" and "Chromatin Immunoprecipitation (ChIP) Followed by ChIP Sequencing (ChIP-seq)" sections. The percent input (% Input) was calculated.

Electrophoretic Mobility Shift Assay (EMSA)

Human full-length CTCF cDNA was cloned into a pGEM-6P-1 plasmid (GE Healthcare) to produce recombinant CTCF with glutathione S-transferase (GST)-tagged N-terminal (GST-CTCF). The plasmid was transformed into *Escherichia coli* BL21 host strains (TaKaRa), and GST-CTCF expression was induced under 0.2 M isopropyl β-Dthiogalactopyranoside and 100 μM ZnSO⁴ at 20°C for 2 hours. After collecting *E. coli* cells by centrifugation, the pellet was resuspended in PBS containing $1 \times$ protease inhibitor cocktail, followed by sonication using a Bioruptor (Cosmo Bio Corporation) set to pulse on high (20 seconds of sonication, followed by 30 seconds of rest) at 4°C for 3 minutes. GST-CTCF was purified by GST Sepharose 4B (GE Healthcare), followed by GST-tag removal using a PreScission Protease (GE Healthcare) according to the manufacturer's protocol. hSATII and hSATα RNAs were transcribed *in vitro* by a MEGAscript Kit (Invitrogen/ Thermo Fisher Scientific). EMSA was performed using a LightShift Chemiluminescent EMSA Kit (Thermo Fisher Scientific) according to the manufacturer's protocol. Briefly, recombinant CTCF was purified as described, and 10 fmol/μL biotinlabeled ICR probe (17) and/or hSATII or hSAT α RNA at a concentration of 10, 5, or 2.5 pmol/μL were incubated for 20 minutes at room temperature. After incubation, the mixture was loaded on a 5% polyacrylamide gel and underwent electrophoresis (100 V) at 4℃ for 110 minutes in 0.5× TBE. After transfer onto a Hybond-N+ membrane (Amersham/GE Healthcare), samples were cross-linked with ultraviolet light. The signals of biotin-labeled probes were detected using a Chemiluminescent Nucleic Acid Detection Module Kit (Thermo Fisher Scientific) according to the manufacturer's protocol. Chemiluminescence signals were detected using a FUSION imaging system (Vilber-Lourmat).

Immunofluorescence Imaging

To detect multipolar or chromosomal bridge formation, hSATII RNA-expressing SVts8 or MajSAT RNA-expressing MEFs were seeded on PLL-coated glass cover slips (Matsunami Glass, #C1210). After 24 hours, the cells were fixed with ice-cold methanol at -20 $^{\circ}$ C for 10 minutes, and permeabilized with 0.1% Triton X-100. After blocking with 15% goat serum (Sigma-Aldrich, #G9023), cells were incubated with α-tubulin (Sigma-Aldrich, #T9026, 1:5,000), γ-tubulin (Sigma-Aldrich, #T3559, 1:5,000), or pericentrin (Abcam, #ab4448, 1:1,000) antibodies overnight at 4°C. The next day, the blots were washed twice

with PBS and then incubated with a Goat anti-Rabbit IgG (H+L) Cross-Adsorbed Secondary Antibody, Alexa Fluor 488 (Thermo Fisher Scientific, #A11008, 1:1,000) and Goat anti-Mouse IgG (H+L) Highly Cross-Adsorbed Secondary Antibody, Alexa Fluor 594 (Thermo Fisher Scientific, #A11032, 1:1,000) at room temperature for an hour. The slides were mounted using ProLong Diamond Antifade Mountant with DAPI (Thermo Fisher Scientific) and examined using a BZ-X710 fluorescence microscope (Keyence).

Karyotype Analysis

Cells were treated with nocodazole (100 ng/mL) for 12 (MEFs) or 4 (SVts8) hours. Karyotype analysis of mitotic cells was performed as previously described (18).

Focus Formation Assay

MajSAT RNA-expressing MEFs $(1-5 \times 10^4)$ previously described in the "RNA Interference (RNAi) and Overexpression" section were seeded into 6-cm-diameter dishes. The cells were maintained at physiological oxygen conditions $(92\% \text{ N}_2, 5\% \text{ CO}_2)$, and 3% $O₂$) for approximately a month, and the medium was changed weekly until the cells were photographed and counted. After the approximately 1-month culture, cells were stained with 0.05% crystal violet in 20% methanol. Dishes were scanned, and piled-up foci were counted.

Anchorage-Independent Soft Agar Colony Formation Assay

A total of 1×10^3 cells were suspended in DME medium containing 0.4% SeaPlaque Agarose (Lonza, #50101) and 10% FBS and layered on DME medium containing 0.6% SeaPlaque Agarose and 10% FBS in 6-well plates in triplicate. After 2–3 weeks of incubation, the number of colonies was counted.

RNA Sequencing (RNA-Seq)

Total RNA was extracted from satellite RNA-overexpressed or XRA-irradiated (12 Gy) SVts8 cells using TRIzol Reagent (Invitrogen), details of which are found in the "Cell Culture" or "RNA Interference (RNAi) and Overexpression" sections. After genomic DNA digestion using a TURBO DNA-*free* Kit (Applied Biosystems), sequencing libraries were prepared using a NEBNext Ultra RNA Library Prep Kit for llumina (New England Biolabs) according to the manufacturer's instruction, followed by 150-bp paired-end sequencing performed by Annoroad Corporation using a HiSeq X.

Extraction and Application of Exosome-Like Extracellular Vesicles (EVs)

To cause DXR-induced senescence, RPE-1/hTERT cells were cultured in medium containing DXR at concentrations of 150 ng/mL. One day before DXR treatment, RPE-1/hTERT cells were plated at a density of 3,637 cells•cm⁻². These cells were not passaged after DXR treatment. To induce XRA-induced senescence, RPE-1/hTERT cells were exposed to 40-Gy irradiation with a CP-160 X-ray machine (Faxitron X-ray Corporation). After XRA irradiation, RPE-1/hTERT cells were plated at a density of 4,000 cells•cm⁻². These cells were not passaged for 10 days after XRA irradiation. EVs were collected from senescent RPE-1/hTERT cells cultured for 3 days in DME medium containing 5% FBS by EV depletion using ultracentrifugation at $100,000 \times g$ for 16 hours. The number of EVs was counted using a LM10 Nanoparticle Characterization System (NanoSight) as

previously described (3, 4). The total RNA of EVs was extracted using TRIzol LS Reagent (Thermo Fisher Scientific) according to the manufacturer's protocols. Regarding the addition of EVs to cells, after the collected EVs were mixed in FBS-depleted medium at a density of 2×10^9 particles/mL, the medium of host cells was changed with the EVcontaining medium daily for one week. Subsequently, karyotyping or anchorageindependent growth assay of EV-treated cells were performed. Designer exosome production using EXOtic devices was performed as previously reported (19), and EV extraction and application to cells were similarly performed as described.

RNA *In Situ* **Hybridization (RNA-ISH)**

Tissue samples were obtained from a patient who underwent surgical resection at Cancer Institute, Japanese Foundation for Cancer Research (JFCR). Tissue samples were collected after obtaining the appropriate institutional review board approval (approval number: 2013–1090) and written informed consent of the patient. hSATII RNA was detected on formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded (FFPE) sections in primary colon cancer specimens using an Advanced Cell Diagnostics (ACD) RNAscope® 2.5 HD Reagent Kit-BROWN (ACD, #322300) and the RNAscope® Target Probe - Hs-HSATII (ACD, #504071) according to the manufacturer's instructions. For each sample $(n = 10)$, two images ($\times 100$) of normal mucosa, submucosa and tumor were randomly selected. The area of hSATII RNA positivity and total cells were analyzed using NIH ImageJ software. The hSATII RNA-positive area per field (%) of each type of cell was calculated as the proportion of the total positive area to the total area of cells.

Organoid Culture Experiments

Organoids prepared from small intestinal tumors (*ApcΔ716* or *ApcΔ716 Trp53R270H/R270H*) were cultured as previously described (20). Total RNA was collected using an RNeasy Plus Micro Extraction Kit (Qiagen) after organoid culture for 3 days.

In Vivo **Allograft Assays**

MEF/Vector or MEF/MajSAT RNA $(5 \times 10^6 \text{ cell})$ in Hank's Balanced Salt Solution (Gibco/Thermo Fisher Scientific) were subcutaneously injected with an equal volume of Matrigel (BD Pharmingen) into 4- or 5-week-old female BALB/c-nu/nu mice (Charles River Laboratories). After 20 or 30 days of cell injection, the mice were euthanized, and tumor weight was measured. All animal procedures were performed using protocols approved by the JFCR Animal Care and Use Committee in accordance with the relevant guidelines and regulations (approval number: 1804-05).

Bioinformatical Analysis

The sequence and processing data have been deposited in the DNA Data Bank of Japan with the accession numbers DRA009771 (https://ddbj.nig.ac.jp/DRASearch/submission?acc=DRA009771) for RNA-seq, DRA010750 (https://ddbj.nig.ac.jp/DRASearch/submission?acc=DRA010750) for ChIPseq, and DRA010749 (https://ddbj.nig.ac.jp/DRASearch/submission?acc=DRA010749) for ATAC-seq. All other data supporting the findings of this study are available within the article.

Screening for unique transcripts showing increased chromatin accessibility and active transcription

To screen for loci showing increased chromatin accessibility and being actively transcribed during cellular senescence (**Fig. 1***A*), we first performed a comparative analysis of ATACseq data between proliferating and X-ray-induced senescent IMR-90 cells. The resulting paired-end FastQ reads of ATAC-seq underwent quality control with FastQC (version 0.11.8) and trimmed with TrimGalore (version 0.6.4; https://www. bioinformatics.babraham.ac.uk/projects/trim_galore/). The trimmed reads were mapped against *Homo sapiens* UCSC hg19 using Bowtie 2 (version 2.3.5) alignment software (21). SAMtools (version 1.9) was used to sort and convert SAM to BAM files (22, 23). Uniquely mapped reads were used for peak calling using MACS 2 (version 2.1.4) with the command "\$ macs2 callpeak --nomodel --nolambda --keep-dup all --call-summits -f BAMPE -g hs," and peaks were filtered by an enrichment score $(q < 0.01)$ (24). Using the read-depth normalized matrix of ATAC-seq signal for all consensus peaks, differential loci of chromatin accessibility between proliferating and X-ray-induced senescent IMR-90 cells were determined using DiffBind (version 2.14.0), resulting in 16,325 peaks displaying significantly altered chromatin accessibility, FDR < 0.05 and region width < 10 k based on the consensus peaks identified in at least two replicates. Based on 14,356 and 1969 of the 16,325 peaks showing "Up"- and "Down"-regulated in X-ray-induced senescent IMR-90 cells compared to proliferating IMR-90 cells, respectively. We defined the total 16,325 peaks as "Differential Peaks" (**Fig. 1***A* **and** *B*). Peak distributions showing significantly altered chromatin accessibility in the senescent cells (*SI Appendix,* Fig. S1*A*) were analyzed by the *cis*-regulatory element annotation system (25).

Next, to identify transcripts containing the 16,325 regions displaying significantly altered chromatin accessibility in X-ray-induced senescent IMR-90 cells, we referred to GRCh37/hg19 and RepeatMasker databases using BEDTools (26), resulting in the identification of 652 transcripts in these regions. The referral GRCh37/hg19 database was from the UCSC genome annotation database for the February 2009 assembly of the human genome (hg19, GRCh37 Genome Reference Consortium Human Reference 37), whereas the RepeatMasker database [DNA, LINE, LTR, RC, RNA (7SK), rRNA, Satellite, SINE and snRNA families] was referred from hg19 - February 2009 - RepeatMasker open-4.0.5 - Repeat Library 20140131.

We then calculated the gene expression level of these 652 transcripts in proliferating and X-ray-induced senescent IMR-90 cells. Publicly available data of proliferating and senescent IMR-90 cells (GEO: GSE130727) (27) were reanalyzed using four samples: GSM3752532 (IMR-90 PDL15 1) and GSM3752533 (IMR-90 PDL15 2) for proliferating IMR-90 cells and GSM3752534 (IMR-90 IR+ 1) and GSM3752535 (IMR-90 IR+ 2) for X-ray-induced senescent IMR-90 cells. For comparative analysis of RNA-seq, we used original datasets from published data as internal controls. In the transcriptome analysis of coding genes and some noncoding RNAs, the trimmed paired-end FastQ reads by TrimGalore (version 0.6.4) were aligned to a comprehensive gene annotation file (GENCODE, GRCh37, release 34) using HISAT2 (version 2.1.0) (28) using default settings. SAMtools (version 1.9) was used to sort and convert SAM to BAM files (22, 23). The counts mapped to the transcripts were computed using featureCounts (29). In the transcriptome analysis of repetitive elements, the trimmed paired-end FastQ reads by TrimGalore (version 0.6.4) were mapped against *H. sapiens* UCSC hg19 using the Bowtie 2 (version 2.3.5) alignment software (21). The counts of repetitive elements were calculated by *RepEnrich2* (30) using default settings. These counts (coding genes, some noncoding RNAs and repetitive elements) were then normalized using the trimmed mean of M-values method in EdgeR (version 3.28.1) (31). Among the 652 transcripts, 47 differentially expressed transcripts were identified (significance determined with FDR < 10-10) and are shown as red (upregulated; 32 transcripts) or blue (downregulated; 15 transcripts) dots in the volcano plot (**Fig. 1***C*).

The volcano plots were visualized using the "ggplot2" package (**Fig. 1***B* and *C*). The peaks of uniquely mapped reads by ATAC-seq and RNA-seq in hSATII loci are shown using the Integrative Genomics Viewer for visualization (**Fig. 1***D*) (32, 33).

RNA-seq analysis

For RNA-seq analysis in hSATα- or hSATII-overexpressed and X-ray-induced senescent SVts8 cells (**Fig. 1***E*–*G*; *SI Appendix,* Fig. S2*B–D*), the resulting FastQ reads containing more than 50% of below Q20 and more than 5% of N were removed, as performed by Annoroad Corporation. The trimmed reads were aligned to a comprehensive gene annotation file (GENCODE, GRCh37, release 34) using HISAT2 (version 2.1.0) (28) using default settings, and the number of transcripts per kilobase million (TPM) was estimated by StringTie (version 2.0) (34). To summarize and visualize RNA-seq data in hSATα- or hSATII-overexpressed and X-ray-induced senescent SVts8 cells, principal component analysis was performed using singular value decomposition approach implemented in R function (prcomp) on TPM values (*SI Appendix*, Fig. S2*C*). For comparative analysis of RNA-seq, we used original datasets from our RNA-seq data as internal controls. Each heatmap column regarding SASP-related gene expression in hSATα- or hSATIIoverexpressed and X-ray-induced senescent SVts8 cells shows the value normalized to a *z*-score using each TPM value (Fig. **1***E*). Gene Set Enrichment Analysis (GSEA; **Fig. 1***G*; *SI Appendix,* Fig. S2*D*) was carried out using the GSEA tool from the Broad Institute (35). The scatter plots (**Fig. 1***F*; *SI Appendix*, Fig. S2*B*) were visualized using the "ggplot2" package.

For RNA-seq analysis in cells, multivesicular endosomes (MVEs) or exosomes derived from DKO1 (human colon cancer cell line; *SI Appendix,* Fig. S7*A*), publicly available data (GEO: GSE130727) (36) were reanalyzed using 12 samples; GSM3584509 (DKO1_Exo_Cell_RNA_1), GSM3584510 (DKO1_Exo_Cell_RNA_2), GSM3584511 (DKO1 Exo Cell RNA 3), and GSM3584512 (DKO1 Exo Cell RNA 4) for cells; GSM3584513 (DKO1_Exo_MV_RNA_1), GSM3584514 (DKO1_Exo_MV_RNA_2), GSM3584515 (DKO1_Exo_MV_RNA_3), and GSM3584516 (DKO1_Exo_MV_RNA_4) for MVEs; and GSM3584517 (DKO1_Exo_Low_RNA_1), GSM3584518 (DKO1_Exo_Low_RNA_2), GSM3584519 (DKO1_Exo_Low_RNA_3), and GSM3584520 (DKO1_Exo_Low_RNA_4) for exosomes. For comparative analysis of RNA-seq, we used original datasets from published data as internal controls. The trimmed paired-end FastQ reads by TrimGalore (version 0.6.4) were mapped against *H. sapiens* UCSC hg19 using the Bowtie 2 (version 2.3.5) alignment software (21). The counts of repetitive elements were calculated by *RepEnrich2* (30) using default settings. Counts per million are shown (*SI Appendix,* Fig. S7*A*).

ATAC-seq analysis

For ATAC-seq analysis in empty vector- or hSATII-overexpressed SVts8 cells (**Fig. 3***E*), the resulting FastQ reads underwent quality control with FastQC (version 0.11.8) and trimmed with TrimGalore (version 0.6.4). The trimmed sequences were mapped against *H. sapiens* UCSC hg19 using Bowtie 2 (version 2.3.5) alignment software (21). Uniquely mapped reads were used for peak calling using MACS 2 (version 2.1.4) with the command "\$ macs2 callpeak --nomodel --nolambda --keep-dup all --call-summits -f BAMPE -g hs," and peaks were filtered by an enrichment score $(q < 0.01)$ (24). Each specific peak was identified using BEDTools using intersect.

ChIP-seq analysis

For ChIP-seq analysis (Fig. **3***A***–***C*, **3***E*), FastQ reads underwent quality control with FastQC (version 0.11.8) and trimmed with TrimGalore (version 0.6.4) using default settings. The trimmed sequences were mapped against *H. sapiens* UCSC hg19 using Bowtie 2 (version 2.3.5) alignment software (21). Uniquely mapped reads were used for peak calling using MACS 2 (version 2.1.4), and the peaks were filtered by an enrichment score ($p < 0.001$) (24). The 36,084 specific peaks detected in empty vector-expressed SVts8 cells or the 33,941 specific peaks detected in hSATII RNA-overexpressed SVts8 cells were identified using BEDTools using intersect. Normalized bigwigs were generated by deepTools (version 3.5.1) (37) "computeMatrix" command and the tracks in chr4: 76,930,000 to 77,030,000 were visualized with RNA-seq and ATAC-seq data using Integrative Genomics Viewer (Fig. $3E$) (32, 33). For the enrichment of peaks from ChIP-seq data, we used deepTools to generate read abundance from all datasets around peak center \pm 2-kb region, using "computeMatrix." These matrices were then used to create profiles (Fig. **3***B*, left) and heatmaps (Fig. **3***B*, right) split into two clusters using the k-means algorithm using deepTools commands "plotProfile" or "plotHeatmap," respectively.

Statistical Analysis

Parametric statistical analyses were performed using the unpaired two-tailed Student's *t*test (**Fig. 3***F*; *SI Appendix*, Fig. S1*C* and S3 *G*, *I*, *J*, and *L*, and S5 *B*–*E*, S6 *B*–*E*, and S7 *E*– *G*), or one-way analysis of variance (ANOVA), followed by the Dunnett's (**Fig. 2***F* and **4***A*; *SI Appendix,* Fig. S2*A* and S7*C)* or Tukey's (**Fig. 1***H* and **2***D* and *E* and **3***C*; *SI Appendix,* Fig. S2 *E* and *F* and S3*C* and *D* and S5*G*) multiple comparisons post hoc test using the R software for statistical computing (64-bit version 3.6.1). Non-parametric statistical analyses were performed using the Wilcoxon rank-sum test (**Fig. 3***B* and **4***D*–*E*), or the Kruskal-Wallis *H* test (one-way ANOVA on ranks) followed by the Steel's multiple comparisons post hoc test (*SI Appendix,* Fig. S6*F*) using the R software for statistical computing. A *P*-value < 0.05 was considered statistically significant. All experiments, except for mass spectrometric analysis, were repeated at least twice.

Statistical Analysis

Parametric statistical analyses were performed using the unpaired two-tailed Student's *t* test (Fig. 3*F* and *SI Appendix*, Figs. S1*C*, S3 *G*, *I*, *J*, and *L*, S5 *B*–*E*, S6 *B*–*E*, and S7 *E*–*G*) or one-way ANOVA, followed by the Dunnett's (Figs. 2*F* and 4*A* and *SI Appendix*, Figs. S2*A* and S7*C*) or Tukey's (Figs. 1*H*, 2 *D* and *E*, and 3*C* and *SI Appendix*, Figs. S2 *E* and *F*, S3 *C* and *D*, and S5*G*) multiple comparisons post hoc test using the R software for statistical computing (64-bit version 3.6.1). Nonparametric statistical analyses were performed using the Wilcoxon rank-sum test (Figs. 3*B* and 4 *D* and *E*) or the Kruskal– Wallis *H* test (one-way ANOVA on ranks) followed by the Steel's multiple comparisons post hoc test (SI Appendix, Fig. $S6F$) using the R software for statistical computing. P < 0.05 was considered statistically significant. All experiments, except for mass spectrometric analysis, were repeated at least twice.

Figure S1

Fig. S1. Pericentromeric satellite RNA is upregulated during cellular senescence.

(A) Peak distribution of the $16,325$ regions dramatically altered (FDR < 0.05) during cellular senescence in IMR-90 cells by ATAC-seq (**Fig. 1***A* and *B*). (**B–F**) Pre-senescent cells were rendered senescent by treatment with 4-OHT to activate oncogenic $H-Ras^{V12}$ (IMR-90/ER:H-RasV12 , **B–D**) or serial passage (TIG-3, **E** and **F**). These cells were subjected to Western blotting (**B**), RT-qPCR (**C** and **E**), and Northern blot (**D** and **F**) to detect hSATII RNA and senescence markers. Replicative senescent cells rendered senescent by serial passage were collected at 1 week (W), 2 months (M), and 3 months after the cessation of proliferation (**E** and **F**). PDL, population doubling level. The relative expression indicates the value normalized to that of proliferating (control) cells (**C**). Each bar represents mean \pm SD of three technical replicates repeated in two independent experiments (**C**). Each column shows the values normalized to *z*-score after calculated as a fold change from proliferating (PDL 41) TIG-3 cells (**E**). ****P* < 0.001 by the unpaired two-sided *t*-test.

Fig. S2. Pericentromeric satellite RNA promotes SASP-like inflammatory gene expression.

(**A**) RT-qPCR analysis of SASP-like inflammatory genes in hSATα- and hSATII RNAoverexpressing SVts8 cells. The relative expression indicates the value normalized to that of empty vector-expressed cells. (**B**) Scatterplot showing the biological replicate in **Fig. 1***F*. (**C**) PCA of RNA-seq performed in **Fig. 1***E*. (**D**) GSEA of signatures associated with

IL6-JAK-STAT3 and SASP in hSATII RNA-overexpressed SVts8 cells. NES, normalized enrichment score. (**E** and **F**) The effect of the knockdown of hSATII RNA on the expression level of hSATII RNA and SASP-like inflammatory genes in proliferating (control) and X-ray-induced (**E**) or replicative senescent (**F**) IMR-90 cells. The relative expression shows a value normalized to that of control siRNA-treated proliferating cells. Each bar represents mean \pm SD of three technical replicates, repeated in two independent experiments (**A**, **E**, **F**). **P* < 0.05, ***P* < 0.01 or ****P* < 0.001 by one-way ANOVA followed by the Dunnett's multiple comparisons post hoc test (**A**) or Tukey's multiple comparisons post hoc test (**E**, **F**).

Fig. S3. Pericentromeric satellite RNA is bound to CTCF and regulated by CTCF.

(**A**) Silver staining for hSATII RNA-binding proteins. (**B** and **C**) Western blot analysis of FLAG-tagged CTCF (WT: wild type), CTCFΔZF1-11 (deletion of ZF domains 1-11), CTCFΔZF1, or CTCFΔZF10 (**B**) and RIP assay (**C**) of HEK-293T cells. (**D**) RIP assay of

X-ray-induced senescent IMR-90 cells overexpressing FLAG-tagged CTCF or CTCFΔZF1-11. (**E**) RT-PCR analysis of hSATII RNA, and Western blot analysis using antibodies; anti-FLAG (CTCF), anti-CTCF and anti-GAPDH. (**F**) Western blot analysis of CTCF knockdown by siRNA. (**G** and **H**) RT-qPCR (**G**) or Western blot (**H**) analysis of hSATII RNA, CTCF, and SASP genes in serial passage-induced senescent TIG-3 cells. The relative expression shows the value normalized to that of early-passage cells. (**I** and **J**) RT-qPCR analysis of MajSAT RNA and SASP-like inflammatory genes in DXR-induced senescent MEFs (**I**) or MajSAT RNA-expressing MEFs (**J**). The relative expression indicates the value normalized to that of control treatment (**I**) or empty vector-expressed (**J**) cells. (**K**) Immunoprecipitated proteins bound to MinSAT or MajSAT RNA. (**L**) ChIPqPCR analysis for CTCF binding to ICR or MinSAT locus. (**M**) Scheme of hSATII RNA regulation by CTCF. Although CTCF normally suppresses the expression of hSATII RNA and SASP-like inflammatory genes at a low level, the reduction of CTCF provokes the expression of hSATII RNA during cellular senescence. Subsequently, the upregulated hSATII RNA disturbs CTCF binding to DNA, which induces SASP-like inflammatory gene expression. Each bar represents mean \pm SD of three technical replicates repeated in two independent experiments (C, D, G, I, J, L) . * $P < 0.05$, ** $P < 0.01$, *** $P < 0.001$ or N.S. (not significant) by the one-way ANOVA followed by the Tukey's multiple comparisons post hoc test (C, D) or the unpaired two-sided *t*-test (G, I, J, L) .

Figure. S4

Fig. S4. Pericentromeric satellite RNA provokes a change of chromatin interaction at *CXCL10/11* **loci.**

(**A–F**) Hi-C data in IMR90 (**A**), HMEC (**B**), HUVEC (**C**), HNEK (**D**), GM12878 (**E**), and K562 (**F**) cells (assembly: hg19, location: chr4 76,800,000-77,200,000) were obtained from 3D Genome browser (38, 39). The region considered in 3C assay (**Fig. 3***F*) is surrounded by a broken line. (**G**) A predictive model of hSATII RNA-induced SASP-like inflammatory gene expression by the disruption of CTCF-sustained chromatin organization.

Figure. S5

Fig. S5. Pericentromeric human satellite RNA provokes chromosomal instability.

(**A**) The retrovirus transduction of hSATII RNA in SVts8 cells was validated by RT-PCR. (**B** and **C**) Immunostaining of SVts8 cells for microtubules (α-tubulin), centrosomes (pericentrin), and DNA (DAPI). Percentage of multipolar cells (**B**) or chromosome-bridged cells (**C**). Scale bar, 5 μm. Each bar represents mean \pm SEM of three biological replicates (total of 90 cells per condition). (**D** and **E**) Karyotype analysis (n = 20) (**D**) and anchorageindependent growth analysis (**E**) of hSATII RNA-overexpressed SVts8 cells. Scale bar, 500 μ m. Data are mean \pm SEM (n = 3, total of 15 independent fields per condition). (**F** and **G**) Immunostaining (**F**) and percentage of multipolar cells (**G**) in SVts8 cells. Scale bar, 5 μm. Each bar represents mean \pm SEM of three biological replicates (total of 90 cells per condition). $*P < 0.05$, $**P < 0.01$, or $***P < 0.001$ by the unpaired two-sided *t*-test (**B**, **C**, **D**, **E**) or one-way ANOVA followed by the Tukey's multiple comparisons post hoc test (**G**).

Figure. S6

Fig. S6. Pericentromeric mouse satellite RNA provokes chromosomal instability.

(**A–C**) RT-PCR of MajSAT RNA overexpression in MEFs (**A**). Immunostaining for microtubules, centrosomes and DNA. Percentage of multipolar cells (**B**) or chromosomebridged cells (C) . Each bar represents mean \pm SEM of three biological replicates (total of 90 cells per condition). Scale bar, 5 μm. (**D**) Focus formation assay. Representative photo (left) and the number of piled-up colonies (right). Each bar represents mean \pm SEM of three biological replicates (total of 90 cells per condition). (**E**) Karyotype analysis of MEFs. Data are mean \pm SEM (n = 3, total of 60 cells per condition). (F) MEFs were subcutaneously injected into nude mice $(n = 6)$. The weight (left) and photo (right) of tumors after 20 (MEF/MajSAT RNA #2) or 30 (MEF/Vector, MajSAT #1 or MajSAT #3) days. Scale bar, 10 mm. **P* < 0.05, ***P* < 0.01, or ****P* < 0.001 by the unpaired two-sided *t*-test (**B**, **C**, **D**, **E**) or the Kruskal-Wallis *H* test (one-way ANOVA on ranks) and Steel's multiple comparisons post hoc test (**F**).

G RT-qPCR (Small intestinal organoids)

Fig. S7. Pericentromeric satellite RNA in small EVs provokes chromosomal instability.

(**A**) Count per million mapped reads of hSATII RNA detected in cells, multi-vesicular endosome (MVE) or exosomes secreted from cells of human colon cancer cell line, DKO1, (GSE125905) (36). (**B**) Comparison of anchorage-independent growth of SVts8 cells treated with small EVs derived from proliferating or X-ray-induced senescent RPE-1/hTERT cells. The number of colonies was counted (total of 5 independent fields per condition). Scale bar, 20 μm. (**C**) Number of chromosomes in the colonies from *SI Appendix,* Fig. S7*B,* or parent SVts8 cells (n = 8 per condition). (**D**) The incorporation of Nluc, hSATα, or hSATII RNA in designer exosomes produced by the EXOtic devices into SVts8 cells was confirmed by RT-PCR. (**E**) Comparison of anchorage-independent growth of SVts8 cells treated with Nluc (Control) or hSATII RNA-incorporated small EVs by EXOtic devices. The number of colonies was counted $(n = 20$ per condition). **(F)** The number of chromosomes in the colonies from *SI Appendix*, Fig. S7*E* (n = 20 per condition). (**G**) RT-qPCR analysis of MajSAT, CTCF, and SASP factor genes in a malignant organoid derived from colon cancer (*ApcΔ716 Trp53R270H/R270H*) compared with its nonmalignant

organoid (*ApcΔ716*). The relative expression shows the value normalized to that of nonmalignant organoids (Apc^{A716}). Each bar represents mean \pm SD of three technical replicates repeated in two independent experiments (**G**). In the boxplot, the bottom and top hinges indicate the first and third quartile, respectively. The horizontal lines into the boxes indicate the median. The upper and lower whiskers define the highest and lowest value within 1.5 times of the interquartile range, respectively. * $P < 0.05$, ** $P < 0.01$, or *** $P <$ 0.001 by the unpaired two-sided *t*-test (**E**, **F**, **G**) or one-way ANOVA followed by the Dunnett's multiple comparisons post hoc test (**C**).

Table S1. A list of hSATII RNA binding proteins.

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